

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

In re Patent Application of

Atty Dkt. 4662-399

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BIJL et al.

TC/A.U.: 3574

Serial No. 08/821,025

Examiner: I. Marx

Filed: March 19, 1997

Date: October 4, 2006

Title: PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF A GRANULAR MICROBIAL BIOMASS  
AND ISOLATION OF A COMPOUND THEREFROM

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

☐ Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.

☒ **NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences  
from the last decision of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting  
applicant's claim(s).

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☐ An appeal **BRIEF** is attached in the pending appeal of the  
above-identified application

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☐ Credit for fees paid in prior appeal without decision on merits

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☐ A reply brief is attached in triplicate under Rule 41.41

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☐ Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review form attached.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or  
asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this  
firm) to our **Account No. 14-1140**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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